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Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the Applicant requests consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement.

PART I: Compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97

Since this IDS is being filed concurrently with the filing of a Request for Continuing Examination application, it is believed no fees are required. If any fees are required, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the required fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50–0463.

PART II: Remarks

Applicant requests that the Office consider the references listed on the attached copies of PTO Form PTO/SB/08B in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98. As requested by Examiner Cho, applicant respectfully directs the Examiner to review pages 23–59, 41–43, 98–100, and 108–110 of the included Bluetooth Specification V1.0B, which is reference #1 as indicated in the accompanying PTO/SB/08B.

It is respectfully requested that:

- The Examiner consider completely the cited information, along with any other information, in reaching a determination concerning the patentability of the present claims;
- 2. The citations for the information be printed on any patent which issues from this application.

By submitting this Information Disclosure Statement, the Applicant makes no representation that a search has been performed, of the extent of any search performed, or that more relevant information does not exist.

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Notwithstanding any statement by the Applicant, the Applicant urges the Examiner to form his own conclusion regarding the relevance of the cited information.

An early and favorable action is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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Examiner Initials	Cite No.1	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.)., date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T²	
	1	"Specification of the Bluetooth System", Specification Volume 1, v1.0B., December 1st, 1999 (Please see pages 23-59, 41-43, 98-100, and 108-110).		
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	3	"Dial Up Networking Profile"; Specification 1.0B and Critical Errata; Document No. 23.B.212/0.7; February 2001		
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